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To Advertisers.—All advertisements must be
hand in by Wednesday morning to insure inser-
tion the same week.

NOTE.—We respectfully ask the clerical as well
as all others, in Henry county, to send us for publi-
cation in the Northwest, all the marriages and
Deaths which especially come to their notice.—Ed.

Facts! Facts!

What a great amount of meaning these five letters embrace. Facts made the Father of our Country the hero of truth. Facts have brought many a one to the gallows. Facts was our corner stone. We build our foundation on facts. Our success has been due mainly to facts. Whatever Saur has advertised has always been facts, and in order to increase his trade, if that is possible, he will always stick to truth, which is plain facts. And it is a matter of pleasure to purchasers to know that they can buy goods from a first-class house with the full knowledge that what they buy are as represented. Now, of course, Saur does not exactly boast of this fact, as this is as it should be, but nevertheless it is none the less true. Saur will warrant you at all times that he will give you your money's worth in exchange for your "lucre," and he has always endeavored to sell goods in such a manner as to give not alone entire satisfaction, but to insure your future patronage. He always carries as complete a stock as it is in his power to procure. He never lags to get the best drugs, medicines and books, and in securing the latest novelties the season affords. And now that the Holidays are about upon us he has a most attractive stock of Books and Stationery, Christmas and New Year Cards, Albums, Diaries, School Books, Juvenile Books, and in fact everything in the book and stationery line, and many articles suitable for presents during the holiday season. A full line of Teacher's and Family Bibles, at very low rates. Toilet and Fancy Articles in great profusion, and at such remarkably low prices that you will be astonished beyond measure upon learning them. Saur's Drug and patent Medicine Department contains every known thing in the medical world, and whatever ailment you may have, a remedy can always be found at his store. Drugs and Medicines all pure and fresh, and nothing sold only as represented. Saur has for years been the King of Paints and Oils. In this department you can find the best brands of White Lead and Mixed and Colored Paints, among which is his celebrated Diamond White Lead. Oils of all kinds, and a stock of brushes surpassed by none. Brushes of every known description. The Wall Paper Department contains a selection of papers of the latest styles, and at very low prices, in fact so low that the poorest need not go without having their walls neatly and comfortably covered. A large stock of Window Shades, both paper and cloth, of the latest styles. There is nothing which makes a home feel and look more comfortable than nice neat wall paper upon the walls and ceiling and stylish window shades hung at the windows. Saur makes a special effort to keep a large stock of these goods on hand at all seasons of the year, so that his customers cannot fail to find what they wish, and he cordially invites an inspection of his goods, whether you wish to buy or not. You will find no one more ready and willing to wait upon customers than the "Little Dutchman" and his clerks. This is another fact which makes Saur's store so popular with the people. Remember, what is stated are all facts, now stop in Saur's Mammoth Drug and Book House and see them verified.

"When the President went into the North woods last year," says the Chicago Times, "he had no wife to look after, and he caught lots of fish and had plenty of sport. Now he will have to bait hooks and take off fish for two, and spend a good share of his time in trying to impress Mrs. Cleveland with the important fact that you can't catch fish if you don't keep still."

The Vice-President of the City, Brewster, Mr. J. Holmes, of Louisville, Ky., was entirely cured in one week of a severe attack of rheumatism by St. Jacob's Oil.

ADDITIONAL LOCAL.

JOB PRINTING.

We Cut and Print all Kinds, Sizes and Styles of

Tickets, Cards, Checks, Folders and Labels
Order of Dances and Bills of Fare, Wedding, Ball and Invitation Cards, Bill, Note, Letter and Statement Heads, Drafts, Receipts, Notes and Checks, Dodgers, Handbills, Programs, Circulars, By-laws, Catalogues and Pamphlets, Envelopes, etc.
Send our prices before looking elsewhere. Send us a copy of what you want and we will quote you prices so that you can save money. Address,
L. L. ORWIG,
DEMOCRATIC NORTHWEST,
Napoleon, O.

Harvest is over now, and you should call at the Eagle Clothing House of Henry Meyer and get for yourself a nice and comfortable suit of clothes. Prices reasonable, in fact cheap. Try it.

The association of Veteran Soldiers and Sailors of Henry county, held their first annual reunion at the Napoleon Fair Grounds on the 14th inst.

Capt. L. G. Randall, President of the association, called the old Veterans to order and explained the object of the organization, and delivered a short address to the old boys, of '61 to '65.

The Secretary, D. V. Hartman, read the by-laws (a short form to be amended by the Post commanders who form a council of administration.) The following officers for ensuing year were elected:

President, Capt. D. K. Bowker of Post No. 151, Vice President, Capt. D. M. Jones of Post No. 66, Treasurer, Capt. H. E. Cary of Post No. 66, Secretary, F. M. Adams of Post 211.

Upon a special invitation from Post 151 and the citizens of Liberty Center, it was decided, by a unanimous vote of the association, to hold our next reunion at that place on the last Thursday of Aug., 1887. On the announcement of the President that Quarter Master Cary had his books open for new recruits, the following named comrades were enrolled:

Thomas Burrow, Wm. J. Barr, Henry Blyth, Isaac Bishen, J. H. Barr, A. R. Babcock, P. Ballard, L. H. Brubaker, Fenton Brooks, R. R. Conn, Wm. M. Kirk, Henry Kolby, Z. Kellen, J. D. Lazenby, Aaron Lautzenhiser, M. Longnecker, L. J. Myers, Robert McCullough, Samuel Martin, James Crockett, E. Cunningham, Joel E. Edwards, A. H. Foote, A. F. Portney, J. C. Franco, J. Hains, S. Hughes, Noah Heaston, A. Hillborn, John B. Jackman, Josiah Kirk, Jacob Printz, Thomas Parsons, F. M. Pope, L. Robinson, George Reiger, R. W. Showman, Frederick Spangler, Francis M. Smith, James M. Slater, Wm. Thrapp, Abe Wilson. The motion to adjourn to black coffee was carried.

PROGRAMME OF THE AFTERNOON.

1. Song, God Save our Union, by Randall Post choir.

2. Opening address by Pres. Bowker.

3. Song, the soldiers' pride, by Randall Post choir.

4. Speech by Hon. J. V. Cuff, (by the way he is always on hand when wanted by the boys, and should be voted in an honorary member.)

5. Song, Star Spangled Banner, by Randall Post choir.

6. Speech by Mr. Haymaker, of Defiance.

7. Remarks by Capt. J. J. Clark, of the old 14th U. S. V. I.

8. Closing remarks by the President, and Song, my country 'tis of thee, by Randall Post choir.

F. M. ADAMS, Sec.

A nobby stock of Gents' Furnishing Goods at the Eagle Clothing House of Henry Meyer, opposite Court House. All the latest styles and prices to suit the times.

Half-fare Rates to the Ohio State Fair.

During State Fair week the Columbus Hooking Valley & Toledo R'y will sell Excursion Tickets from all stations on its line to Columbus and return, at rate of one fare for the round trip. Tickets will be good going from August 30th to Sept. 3d, inclusive, and good returning on any regular or special passenger train up to and including Sept. 4th.

In addition to the regular passenger trains a special train will be run Wednesday, Thursday and Friday, Sept. 1st, 2d and 3d, leaving Carey at 5:40 a. m., stopping at intermediate stations, and arriving at Columbus 8:30 a. m. Returning, trains will leave Union Depot, Columbus, at 4:45 a. m., 10:25 a. m., 4:15 p. m. and 6:30 p. m. The 6:30 p. m. train will run only on Wednesday, Thursday and Friday, Sept. 1st, 2d and 3d, running as far north as Carey.

Out of Date.

The finest and most artistic finish for a bust portrait is the Vignette, fancy and double printing is too old and worn out. See the artistic portraits in our case.

MILLEN & KIRCHMAN.

HO FOR PITTSBURGH!

At the Lowest Rates ever Offered!

"The Daisy" Excursion to Pittsburgh via B. & O. R. R., on Saturday, August 28th, 1886.

Through solid trains to Pittsburgh, passing through Columbus, Zanesville, Wheeling and Washington, Pa.

The B. & O. Line to Pittsburgh is first-class in every respect; makes the fastest running time, and passes through the great oil and gas fields of Washington, Pa.

Tickets good for return passage on all regular trains to August 31st, inclusive. Sleeping cars on all night trains.

Natural Gas is the wonder of the age. Pittsburgh is the only city in the world where it is universally in use for manufacturing and household purposes.

For rates, time of trains, etc., see small bills, or call upon or address Agents Baltimore & Ohio Railroad.

Ladies wanting dresses made to order and in style, will do well to call on Mrs. Stout at her rooms in Higgins Block second door to the right up stairs. Prices reasonable.

Ladies.

we have just received a full assortment of dress bustles, the best article that has ever been offered. If you are not perfectly satisfied with them after trial, the money will be refunded.

D. & J. WILSON.

Notice.

Persons wishing booth, tent or swings during the Henry county Farmer's Fair, Sept. 21 to 24, will make application to the Secretary, or any member of the Board.

ELIZABETH C. CRAWFORD, Secretary,
Grand Rapids, O.

Richfield Gleanings.

.....Flowering is in full blast.

.....Time to cut your clover seed.

.....J. M. Robinson has returned from Alabama.

.....W. O. King and son visited in Grand Rapids yesterday.

.....Everybody goes to the play party at Carrier's to-night.

.....Mitt Corn, of Damascus, spent Sunday with John Mardon.

.....Martin Miller is building the finest residence in the twp.

.....Messrs. Lownd and Lebay visited the Monroe convention on last Thursday.

.....John Roberts had a severe attack of bleeding at the lungs on Friday night.

.....Quite a number of our sporting lads attended the dance in Malinta Friday night.

.....Mrs. Mary Beavers is preparing to leave for Columbus the 29th; we wish her a pleasant trip.

.....Messrs. Winner and Edgington sold the largest drove of fat cattle that was ever bought in Richfield.

.....On Thursday last Chas. Sherbrook went out to shoot a chicken, the gun burst filling, his face and eyes with powder, hurting him severely but not dangerously.

.....Last Saturday the people of this place were shocked by the death of Miss Millie Hayes, from paralysis of the heart. She was an active worker in the temperance cause and well may the Richfield lodge mourn her loss. She was always ready to do her part, yet she was stricken down in her youth; it may be a warning to others, but it does seem hard to die so young and gay without a moment's warning, but we are in God's hands and he doeth all things well.

West Hope, Aug. 24, 1886.

Unnecessary.

If we thought it necessary to indulge in funny stories and alleged wit to draw custom, we, too, would invoke the muse, but we will let the people live a little longer and invite all to call and see our superior cabinet photos. Miller & Ketcham, over Clewell & Fish's grocery.

Sheffield & Arnold, of Grand Rapids, Ohio, have got first class building stone for sale or to trade for flour or groceries.

Notice.

The office of the Secretary of the Henry County Agricultural Stock Fair Company will be at the office of Hatter & Gidley's marble rooms, opposite Northwest office. Complimentary tickets is here to all paid up stock holders. Call and get them.

J. L. HALTER, Secy.

Seed Wheat.

The Mediterranean Hybrid Wheat is now so well known and so generally recommended by leading seedmen and by millers, and the results obtained by growers have been so satisfactory there is no doubt it is a profitable variety to sow, yielding 40 bushels per acre. For sale by A. BRADLEY.

Change of Firm.

I have sold my entire stock to Emil Hirsland, who will continue the business at the old stand, until the entire stock is closed out. All goods will be sold at and below cost price, or the entire stock will be sold in bulk. All persons knowing themselves indebted to me are requested to call and settle within the next thirty days.

H. HIRSLAND.

Napoleon, O., Aug. 11, 1886.

TRANSFERS OF REAL ESTATE.

The following transfers have been recorded since our last issue:

E. Bogart to J. H. Bogart, 40 acres in Freedom

1000

M. H. Baiton to G. W. Stout, lot 31 in Florida

362

J. P. Bowen, et al., to L. Bowen, 39 1/2 acres in Freedom

362

Freedom tp.

Frederick to O. Laha, part of lot 3 in Hill's

20

1st add to Hamlet.

S. M. Heller to G. W. Walker, 160 acres in Freedom

4900

I. Kerner to G. W. Stout, land in Florida

1250

L. McCasky to E. S. Goss, land in Napoleon

1250

E. J. Thomas to S. E. Mohler, land in Liberty

90

E. Gunther to E. Crouch, lot 97 in Berlin

1100

The Keynote, founded some three years since, has long been recognized as the leading musical authority in this country, and the reliability of its criticisms, characterized as they are and have been by sound knowledge and artistic integrity, is universally acknowledged both in professional and amateur circles.

Not content with adding new features from time to time, and establishing literary, dramatic and art departments, the spirit of liberal enterprise that has been displayed has now reached a climax in the acquisition, at a large outlay, of the sole rights in a novel by the exceedingly popular and eminently gifted writer, M. French Sheldon. This author, whose masterly English translation of M. Flaubert's "Salammbô" has created such an extraordinary sensation, is now one of the foremost "lions" in the literary world.

The opening chapters of "Our Fangled World" afford indubitable evidence of the conspicuous ability of the new writer, as a creator possessed of strong dramatic instinct.

In addition to this, a marvellous power of word-painting, incisive analysis of character, and a realism that appeals irresistibly to the mind of even the dullest reader, are qualities that compel our admiration.

It is, of course, impossible to anticipate the development of the main features of the story, but the initial chapters are so powerful and suggestive that it is safe to anticipate a plot of exciting interest, treated with adroit skill.

GUILTY OF MURDER.

All of the Chicago Anarchists Convicted by the Jury.

Spies, Fielden, Schwab, Lingg, Parsons, Fischer and Engel Will Hang—Neebe Goes to the Penitentiary.

CHICAGO, Aug. 20.—The anarchist trial closed yesterday afternoon. Judge Gary charged the jury in a very impartial manner and gave them the case finally at 3:30 p. m. The defendants listened eagerly to the words of the judge and showed signs of agitation.

The jury was locked up at 6 o'clock with instructions to remain until they found a verdict. When the jury retired the prisoners were taken into one of the balliffs' rooms. A few minutes later Fischer emerged accompanied by a balliff, and entered another room to get a drink of ice water. He was deadly pale. Though the balliffs took pains to assure the ladies present that it was extremely improbable that a verdict would be returned before the adjournment of court, every one of them remained till Judge Gary put on his hat and was out of the building.

During the three hours waiting for the verdict the attorneys present were subjected to repeated interviews, mostly by ladies, as to the probability of a verdict being returned which would fix the extreme penalty. Mrs. Neebe and Mrs. Schwab conversed together in low tones at the end of one of the attorney's tables, and were now and then brightened up by a cheerful word from Mr. Black, who is said to have firm faith in acquittal. The most touching sight of all was the aged mother of Spies. Her imperfect knowledge of the English language made it impossible for her to follow the evidence closely, but her intense solicitude for the comfort and safety of her favorite son, the enormity of whose offense as maintained by the prosecution she has seemed little to understand, has made her the most pathetic figure of the trial. While awaiting the return of the jury frequent tears rolled down her wrinkled cheeks, and when the court adjourned, she moved slowly out on the arm of her young daughter, seemingly broken-hearted.

At 10 o'clock the jury left their room for the hotel. This indicated that they had found a verdict. It became generally known over the city soon after the jury left their room that they had found seven of the eight defendants guilty of murder in the first degree. Neebe it was reported was found guilty of manslaughter only.

This morning there was breathless attention when the verdict, which condemns seven of the anarchists to hang and gives the eighth fifteen years in the penitentiary, was announced. This was succeeded by intense excitement. The prisoners were ranged along the wall on the south side of the court room hidden from the public by a line of policemen. Mrs. Schwab fainted but no other demonstration was made.

The verdict was simply guilty as charged in the case of August Spies, Fischer, Lingg, Engel, Parsons, Fielden and Schwab, and Neebe guilty of manslaughter, his sentence being 15 years in penitentiary. Mr. Black rose and moved for a new trial. Mr. Grinnell objected to this being considered at this time in any case. He then thanked the jury and said there would be no more business for them to-day. The prisoners were taken back to jail.

RECEIVING THE VERDICT.

At ten o'clock Judge Gary came into court. There were present, Mrs. Spies, Mrs. Parsons, Neebe's wife, Lingg's sweetheart, Aug. Spies' sister and his brother Ferdinand, Mrs. Ames, Gen. Parsons, Spies' mother, and a half dozen others, who have been regular attendants at the trial. Amidst profound silence Judge Gary told the Clerk to call the names of the jury. While this was being done, Parsons, who sat at the window, glanced hurriedly around, and with a bold, defiant look in his eyes, pulled something from his pocket. It was the battle flag of the Anarchists—a dirty red silk handkerchief. Turning so all in the street might see, but in such a manner that the court could not, he waved it for a moment or two. Some one in the street caught sight of it and a cheer was uttered but quickly stopped. When the people in the court room turned to ascertain the cause of the demonstration, Parsons sat stiffly in his chair and gazed vacantly at the clock. The others gazed anxiously into the faces of the jury and friends and then up at the dignified Judge, as if in hope of gaining some indication of their fate. The relatives and friends of the prisoners were the most excited.

Over in a corner sat a little old woman nearly hidden by a big policeman. It was the mother of August Spies, and during the half hour that she was in the court room she was constantly holding a white handkerchief to her eyes. Mrs. Parsons and Gen. Parsons said nothing and betrayed no evidence of the suspense that they must have experienced. Mrs. Schwab looked at her husband with fearful eyes, and once or twice wiped the tears away. Lingg's sweetheart was next to her, and during the calling of the jurors' names kept up a constant signalling with him. The roll was finally finished, and then it was that the prisoners and their friends betrayed the first excitement.

Just two minutes after 10, Foreman Osborne rose to his feet and faced the court. The suspense was terrible, and as if already aware of the fate in store for them, a tremor ran over the prisoners, while the feelings of the relatives and friends were manifested by twitching or the muscles, hard breathing and shaking limbs.

HAVE YOU AGREED?

"Have you agreed upon a verdict?" and the voice of the Judge was almost inaudible, and even he gave way to the momentary solemnity and suspense.

"Have you agreed?"

Then all eyes were withdrawn from him and turned on the foreman, who reached forward and gave the paper, which he held in his hand, to the clerk, who in turn gave it to the Judge. The foreman's work was done. The Judge and the Clerk held a whispered conference and finally the clerk raised the paper where the light would fall on it and the Judge bent forward and fixed his eyes on the spectators. The people were like marble figures, not a word or sign did they make, but their eyes merely shifted from the Judge to the clerk. The foreman then began reading slowly as follows:

"We find Spies, Parsons, Fielden, Schwab, Fischer, Lingg and Engel guilty as charged in the indictment and punishable by death. We find Neebe guilty of manslaughter and fix his punishment at fifteen years in the penitentiary." The clerk then sat down, but the Judge and the foreman still remained standing.

There was not a sound, and for over a minute people seemed to be dumb-stricken. Then there was a faint sob—a low wailing moan. It came from the corner where the little old mother of Spies sat, and it was the signal for the outbreak of murmurs which ran over the assemblage. "Quiet." Everybody sat down, and the Judge's voice came clear and distinct. But even his authority could not prevent the expressions of surprise and outburst of pent-up feeling and the suppressed murmur of anguish that came from the friends and relatives of the condemned men. The unfortunate defendants themselves said nothing. Not even did they moan. They only looked—and into space. It was as if all hope had gone and now for the first time they knew their lives had been a failure. The Judge was the first to make a movement. Stepping to the front he ordered that the jurors be polled. Each juror was then asked by the Clerk if the verdict expressed his true conviction and if he agreed in the verdict. In answer there came a firm but low "I do."

The Judge thanked the jury and discharged them.

DRAMATIC SCENE.

The wife of Michael Schwab fainted when she heard the verdict. He saw her fall against the wall and made a motion toward her, but collected himself and went out with the rest. "Ach, Gott!" shrieked the wife, "Ach, Gott!" Then her utterances took the form of ravings and she fell back in a dead faint. Restoratives were applied and when she regained consciousness again she resumed her cries. Some of her female friends finally quieted her, and even Judge Gary came down from the bench and looked pityingly at her. She was then taken out of the room and the others followed.

Mrs. Parsons did not seem very much agitated, though she bit her lips and looked at the Judge and the people with strained eyes, as if to keep back the tears. Spies' mother went out still weeping and clinging to her daughter's dress and tears gushed from her eyes freely. The other women also wept and the crowd in the street stood aside in a respectful manner to let them pass.

Judge Gary came down shortly after, and a great many persons lifted their hats as he passed. The court room was cleared and people went away to their homes and their work. The trial of the case was over. Before adjournment Judge Gary set the time for any motions by the defense for next Thursday.

A Druggist's Story.

Mr. Isaac C. Chapman, Druggist, Newburg, N. Y., writes us: "I have for the past ten years sold several gross of D. Williams' Hall's Balsam for the lungs. I can say of it what I cannot say of any other medicine. I have never heard a customer speak of it but to praise its virtues in the highest manner. I have recommended it in a great many cases of Whooping Cough, with the happiest effects. I have used it in my own family for many years; in fact, always have a bottle in the medicine closet ready for use."

TO BE RELEASED.

Cutting To Be Given His Liberty Within a Few Days.

EL PASO, August 21.—The Mexican authorities think that Cutting has now by two months' confinement, suffered enough, and they will order his release, to take effect, probably, by Tuesday or Wednesday of next week. The \$600 fine is also to be remitted. The Court expressly reaffirms all that has been said in favor of the right of Mexico to try an offense committed in the United States; therefore, the status of the case as an international question is not, and will not be in the least, altered by the release of Cutting. It will come up again directly on a question of indemnity.

An End to Bone Scraping.

Edward Sheppard, of Harrisburg, Ill., says: "Having received so much benefit from Electric Bitters, I feel it my duty to let suffering humanity know it. Have had a running sore on my leg for eight years; my doctors told me I would have to have the bone scraped or leg amputated. I used, instead, three bottles of Electric Bitters and seven boxes of Bucklen's Arnica Salve, and my leg is now sound and well."

Electric Bitters are sold at fifty cents a bottle, and Bucklen's Arnica Salve at 25c. per box by D. J. Humphrey.

A remarkable instance of faith cure has just been performed in the case of Lizzy C. Suloff, of Akron. The lady is 24 years old, and has been a hopeless invalid for fourteen years, the result of a fall when a child. Two weeks ago last Tuesday Dr. Collis, of Boston, and the girl and her friends in Akron began praying for her recovery. A wonderful change came over her at once, and she is now able to perform household duties. The lady had to be carried about on a couch, was totally blind for a time, and it was once thought that she was dead.

A worthy clergyman in a neighboring town is very absent minded and has a short memory. It is a common habit with him in the pulpit to forget something, and then after sitting down to rise up and commence his supplementary remarks with the expression, "By the way." A few Sundays ago he got half through a prayer when he hesitated, forgot what he was about and sat down abruptly without closing. In a moment or two he arose, and pointing his forefinger at the congregation he said, "Oh, by the way, amen!"—Ed.

The Pensioners.

(From the Washington Star.)

A statement prepared at the Pension Office, by direction of the Chief of the Certificate Division, Mr. J. E. Smith, shows there are only 433 pensioners of this class on the roll who have lost an arm at the shoulder joint or a leg at the hip joint. The small number as compared with the number of pensioners in the other classes indicate how few survive the amputation of an entire limb. There is greater danger attendant upon the amputation of a leg than of an arm, for there are on the rolls only 10 pensioners who have lost a leg at the hip joint, while those who have lost an arm at the shoulder joint number 443. They receive 245 per month. There are 3,105 pensioners who have lost an arm above the elbow, and 2,641 who have lost a leg above the knee. Such pensioners to receive \$30.00 per month, an increase of six dollars. There are also 839 pensioners who have lost an arm below the elbow, and 1,185 pensioners who have lost a leg below the knee. These pensioners are to receive \$30 per month, an increase of \$6. The bill further provides "that nothing contained in this act shall be construed to repeal section 4899 of the Revised Statutes of the United States, or to change the rate of \$18 per month there-in mentioned to be proportionately divided for any degree of disability established, for which Section 4895 makes no provision." The list of pensions now paid shows that in the higher grades the number of pensioners is comparatively small. For instance, what is termed total disability, such as the loss of both arms, both legs, both hands, both feet, sight of both eyes, and insanity, the highest pension is paid, namely, \$72 per month. The number of pensioners in these classes is as follows: Lost both arms, 21; both legs, 22; both hands; both feet; both eyes, 25; insanity, 190. There are only two pensioners who receive a higher pension than \$72 per month, one of whom receives \$75 per month and the other \$100, the latter being Gen. Black, Commissioner of Pensions, who received this pension by a special act of Congress. Of the 250,000 and more pensioners now on the rolls, the largest number, 60,288, receive \$4 per month; the next highest number, 44,775, receive \$8 per month. Then there are 34,839 pensioners who receive \$6 per month; 26,154 who receive \$2 per month; 15,450 who receive \$12 per month; 15,029 who receive \$24 per month; 9,279 who receive \$10 per month; 7,927 who receive \$30 per month, and 3,413 who receive \$14 per month. The grades of pensioners run from \$1 per month to \$100, and the above are the classes which contain the greatest number of pensioners. In addition there are 834 who receive \$50 per month, and there is one at \$45, one at \$47, seven at \$45, one at \$40 25, one at \$42, fourteen at \$40, one at \$38 50, one at \$35 25, sixty-four at \$37 50, and thirty-six at \$36.

RAPID CRANKS.

Graham Gets Through—Scott Was Drowned.

NIAGARA FALLS, Aug. 19.—Graham successfully navigated the whirlpool rapids this afternoon, with his head protruding from the barrel.

James Scott, a fisherman of Lewiston, attempted to swim the whirlpool rapids this afternoon in a cork suit. His head body was picked up at Lewiston, an hour later.

While it was undoubtedly best for the Democratic party for Mr. Nealis to decline the nomination for Member Board of Public Works, it is certainly unfair, to say the least, for the Republican press to attempt to blacken his character. They harp on Mr. Nealis' "workhouse record." Here it is: "In the midst of some election excitement Mr. Nealis deemed it incumbent upon him to chastise some loud-mouthed Republican. He was tried for assault and battery and was fined \$25 and sentenced to 30 days at the 'works.' The day after his sentence he was pardoned out by a Republican police board. Since then Mr. Nealis has served with honor upon the Cincinnati board of health."